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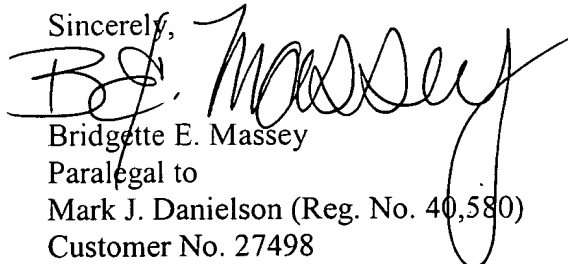
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Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/981,291, Filed 10/16/2001
"Automatic Instruction Set Architecture Generation"
Applicant: Goodwin et al.
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Hon. Commissioner:

Enclosed please find a Preliminary Amendment, transmittal letter and return postcard for filing in the above-referenced matter filed via Express Mail Label No. EV38434042US.

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